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PENDING CLAIMS AS AMENDED

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A method for mitigating adjacent channel interference (ACI) in

a wireless communication system, comprising:

determining a presence or absence of ACI in each of one or more frequency ranges in a

pre-processed signal comprised of a desired signal component, wherein the presence or absence

of ACI in the pre-processed signal is determined via signaling from a transmitter;

selecting a particular filter response from among a plurality of possible filter responses

based on the determined presence or absence of ACI in each of the one or more frequency

ranges; and

filtering the pre-processed signal with the selected filter response.

Claims 2-8. (Cancelled)

9. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the plurality of possible filter responses

are provided by a plurality of sets of filter coefficients.

10. (Original) The method of claim 9, wherein the plurality of sets of filter coefficients

are for a finite impulse response (FIR) filter.

11. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the plurality of possible filter responses

include a first filter response selected for use if ACI is determined to be present at an upper band-

edge of the desired signal component.

12. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the plurality of possible filter responses

include a second filter response selected for use if ACI is determined to be present at a lower

band-edge of the desired signal component.

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13. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the plurality of possible filter responses include a third filter response selected for use if ACI is determined to be present at both an upper band-edge and a lower band-edge of the desired signal component.

14. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the plurality of possible filter responses include a fourth filter response selected for use if ACI is determined to be absent from the preprocessed signal.

15. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein each of the plurality of possible filter responses is derived to maximize signal-to-noise-and-interference ratio (SINR) based on a respective hypothesis for the ACI in the pre-processed signal.

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16. (Original) The method of claim 15, wherein each hypothesis is indicative of a hypothesized location and spectral profile for the ACI in the pre-processed signal.

Claims 17-28. (Cancelled)

29. (Currently Amended) A receiver apparatus in a wireless communication system, comprising:

means for pre-processing a received signal comprised of a desired signal component;

means for determining a presence or absence of adjacent channel interference (ACI) in the pre-processed signal in each of one or more frequency ranges, wherein the presence or absence of ACI in the pre-processed signal is determined via signaling from a transmitter; and

means for filtering the pre-processed signal with a particular filter response selected from among a plurality of possible filter responses based on the determined presence or absence of ACI in each of the one or more frequency ranges.

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